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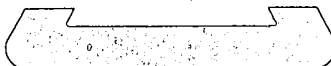
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MANAGUA BUNKER COMPLEX**CUBA (SWN/**

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1. **SIGNIFICANCE:** CONSTRUCTION HAS CONTINUED ON THIS PROBABLE COMMAND AND CONTROL COMPLEX NEAR MANAGUA, CUBA. (SWN/

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2. **REMARKS:** THIS BUNKER COMPLEX, 13.5 NM SOUTHEAST OF HAVANA AND 3.2 NM SOUTHEAST OF MANAGUA AIRFIELD HAS BEEN UNDER CONSTRUCTION SINCE AT LEAST OCTOBER 1982 AND IS NOW IN MID TO LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. THIS IS THE LARGEST BUNKER COMPLEX IN CUBA. THE MAIN PORTION OF THE COMPLEX CONSISTS OF ONE 109-METER AND FIVE 42-METER ARCH-ROOFED BUNKERS. SINCE FOUR OF THE FIVE SMALLER BUNKERS HAVE BEEN CONNECTED BY A PASSAGEWAY WHICH ALSO PROVIDES ACCESS TO THE LARGER BUNKER. WATERPROOFING HAD BEEN APPLIED TO THREE BUNKERS IN PREPARATION FOR EARTH COVERING OF THE COMPLEX. A RADAR MOUND HAD BEEN CONSTRUCTED ADJACENT TO THE COMPLEX (NOT ON GRAPHIC). NUMEROUS SMALLER VEHICLE/EQUIPMENT BUNKERS ARE BEING BUILT AROUND THE MAIN PORTION OF THE COMPLEX. (SWN

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THIS COMPLEX HAS THE APPEARANCE OF A COMMAND AND CONTROL BUNKER, BUT THE EXACT ASPECT OF COMMAND AND CONTROL TO BE PERFORMED HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED. THE PRESENCE OF RADAR POSITIONS AT THE COMPLEX WOULD TEND TO INDICATE THAT AN AIR DEFENSE-RELATED COMMAND WILL LIKELY OCCUPY THE FACILITY. (S

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MANAGUA SA-3 SITE SOUTH SOUTHEAST 0.7 NM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF THE BUNKER COMPLEX, HAS BEEN RECENTLY OCCUPIED FOR THE FIRST TIME AND WILL PROVIDE POINT DEFENSE FOR THE COMPLEX. (S

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3. COORDINATES 22-55-01N 082-15-15W (S)

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